

## PLACE OF DEATH

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHCounty St. LouisTownship Carondelet

or

Village Koch Mo.

or

City Robt Koch Hospital (NO. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_)Registration District No. 112.3File No. 17653Primary Registration District No. 6248BRegistered No. 213

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number]

FULL NAME Mack McCoy

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

SEX MaleCOLOR OR RACE BlackSINGLE  
MARRIED  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)Married

DATE OF BIRTH

February26, 1876

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

AGE

37

yrs.

2

mos.

12

ds.

If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_ min.?

OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work

Barber

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

BIRTHPLACE

(City or town, State or foreign country)

Galveston Tex

PARENTS

NAME OF FATHER

Mack McCoy

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(City or town, State or foreign country)

Dont Know

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

May Willis

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(City or town, State or foreign country)

Huntsville TexDont Know

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Koch Hospital Records

(ADDRESS)

Koch Mo.

MAY 8 1913

L. P. Obrock

REGISTRAR

DATE OF DEATH

May81913

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from

April 201913to May 81913that I last saw him alive on May 8, 1913and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 3.30 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

P.M.Tuberculosis of Lungs

Contributory

(SECONDARY)

(Duration)

yrs.

mos.

18

ds.

(Signed)

(Duration)

yrs.

mos.

ds.

M. D.

May 81913

(Address)

Koch Mo.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place

of death

yrs.

mos.

18

ds.

In the

State

10

yrs.

mos.

ds.

Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?

Dont Know

Former or usual residence

2011 Eugenia St., St. Louis

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Greenwood

DATE OF BURIAL

May 10, 1913

UNDERTAKER

M. C. Gordon

ADDRESS

2649 Morgan St.

# Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

[Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association]

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer* or *Planter*, *Physician*, *Composer*, *Architect*, *Locomotive engineer*, *Civil engineer*, *Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification, as *Day laborer*, *Farm laborer*, *Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife*, *Housework* or *At home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school* or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant*, *Cook*, *Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer (retired, 6 yrs.)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*; *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs*, *meninges*, *peritoneum*, etc., *Carcinoma*, *Sarcoma*, etc. of ..... (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*

*Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), *29 ds.*; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uraemia," "Weakness," etc.; when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL" *septicaemia*, "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis*, *tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "Contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)